

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
SHERMAN DIVISION**

CRAIG CUNNINGHAM.

Plaintiff,

V.

MANESSEH JORDAN MINISTRIES, INC.;
BUILLON FITNESS INC.; KINGDOM
MINISTRIES CHURCH INC.; YAKIM
MANESSEH JORDAN a/k/a MANESSEH
JORDAN; MJ MINISTRIES SPREADING
THE GOSPEL, INC.; and JOHN AND
JANE DOES 1-5.

Defendants.

CASE NO.: 4:19-cv-00494-SDJ-CAN

DEFENDANT MJ MINISTRIES SPREADING THE GOSPEL, INC'S NOTICE
REGARDING STATUS OF SETTLEMENT

Defendant MJ Ministries Spreading the Gospel, Inc. (“MJ Ministries” or “Defendant”) hereby files this Notice regarding the status of the settlement reached between the parties as required by the Court’s September 18, 2020 Order (ECF No. 104):

1. On August 5, 2020, the Court stayed this matter so that the parties could pursue resolution through mediation. (ECF No. 98).
2. The parties attended a mediation with the Honorable James Jordan (Ret.) on August 17, 2020.
3. The parties agreed to resolve the matter at the mediation and signed a Mediated Agreement on August 17, 2020 setting forth the terms of the settlement.
4. Following the mediation, the parties proceeded to negotiate the terms of a Settlement Agreement and Release (“Release”).
5. The parties reached an agreement on the terms of the Release on September 29, 2020.

6. Plaintiff executed the Release on September 29, 2020.
7. On September 30, 2020, MJ Ministries executed the Release.
8. On October 9, 2020 the parties agreed to the terms of a Confession of Judgment, which is to be filed with the Court today.
9. As such, the parties report that settlement has been finalized.
10. In light of the terms of the confidential Release, the parties jointly request that this Court stay the current action for a period of seven (7) months.

DATED THIS 9TH DATE OF OCTOBER, 2020.

Respectfully submitted,

GORDON & REES, LLP

/s/ Jason Irvin

JASON IRVIN

State Bar No. 24032460

jirvin@grsm.com

2200 Ross Avenue, Suite 3700

Dallas, Texas 75201

(214) 231-4660 Telephone

(214) 461-4053 Facsimile

ATTORNEY FOR DEFENDANT

**MJ MINISTRIES SPREADING THE GOSPEL,
INC.**

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on October 9, 2020, a true and correct copy of the foregoing document was served on Plaintiff via First Class Mail and email to the following address:

Craig Cunningham
3000 Custer Road, Suite 270-206
Plano, TX 75075

/s/ Jason Irvin

JASON IRVIN